



State Representative
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Committees: Commerce (Vice Chair) (Subcommittee: Banking and Finance (Chair)); Appropriations Subcommittees: Consumer and Industry Services/History, Arts and Libraries, and Michigan Economic Development Corporation/Department of Career Development/Strategic Fund Agency; Criminal Justice; Energy and Technology; Redistricting and Elections (Subcommittee: Congressional Redistricting (Chair)); Joint Committee on Administrative Rules (Chair)

Biography: Republican, of Rochester; born Almont, Michigan; B.A., history, 1989, University of Michigan; Spanish language and Spanish history study abroad, Universidad de Sevilla, Spain, Summer 1988; J.D., 1993, Detroit College of Law with a term studying international law and business at Cambridge University in England and the University of Paris-Sorbonne in France; real estate broker's license, 1994, Curry Management Institute; married to Cristina; son Benjamin; member, State Bar of Michigan, American Bar Association, Oakland County Bar Association, Macomb County Bar Association, Sports Lawyers Association; member, Michigan Association of REALTORS; president and owner of Freedom Realty, Inc., and of Pro Management, Inc.; former prosecuting attorney, Charter Township of Orion; partner and practicing attorney, Booth Patterson, P.C.; member, Republican State Committee; 1996 Republican nominee for the University of Michigan Board of Regents; elected to the House of Representatives, 1998.

